APPENDIX A.

I.

To

V. P. MADHAVA RAO, Esq., C.I.E.,

Dewan of Mysore.

SIR,

As the representative of the Kolar Gold Field Mining Board, I beg to convey to you their best thanks for granting them the privilege of again placing before you matters connected with the Gold Mining Industry.

The Mysore Mines Regulation, 1906.—Government have issued instructions for reports to be made on the working of this Regulation after it has been in operation for two years. This period expired last month, and the reports are eagerly looked forward to. We gratefully acknowledge the beneficial effect which this Act has had in diminishing illicit gold dealing, and we trust that its provisions will be extended to the Kolar Gold Fields Railway, which will further enhance its value. The necessity for such extension is emphasised by cases which have occurred recently and in which persons have been apprehended on Railway premises with stolen mining property in their possession.

Police Act.—We still anxiously await the passing of this measure which would place the Police in a position to deal with certain offences over which they at present have no control.

Water storage for Cauvery Electrical Power.—We again desire to express the hope that this very important question will soon receive the favourable consideration of Government.

Epidemic diseases.—The recent appointment of a whole-time Health Officer and the increase of the subordinate Medical and Sanitary staff, under the control of the Sanitary Board, has afforded us great satisfaction, as we feel that the important work which that Department has to administer in this largely populated area will now receive the strict attention which it has so long needed.

I am requested to draw your attention again to the necessity for covering over the Government Water Storage Reservoir which is in the vicinity of the Hospital and being open to the reception of micro-organisms and other deleterious matter, is a continual menace to the public health.

To complete the efficiency of the Health Department, we would take the liberty to recommend strongly the addition of a Bacteriological Laboratory to deal with the peculiar diseases occurring outside the mining camps.

Government Hospital.—The Board are greatly indebted to Government for the opening of the General and Maternity Hospitals which will be a real benefit to the community, but they desire respectfully to point out that the accommodation afforded in the latter institution is at present quite inadequate for the requirements of the Field.

Medical expert opinion in Government mining prosecutions.—We trust that early orders will be passed on the question of remunerating the mining companies' private medical officers when they are summoned to give evidence in Government mining prosecutions.

Roads.—The Board are very pleased to learn that the lighting of the Government roads on the Field by electricity has been sanctioned and they anxiously look forward to the early completion of the scheme.

Owing to the long drought the roads have recently got into a bad condition, but we observe with pleasure that advantage is being taken of the recent rains to commence repairing them.

In conclusion, we congratulate His Highness the Maharaja on the peace and prosperity which the State has enjoyed under the present administration and trust that you, Sir, will long be spared to guide its destinies.

I remain, etc.,

A. GIFFORD.

II.

To

V. P. MADHAVA RAO, Esq., C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore.

Sir,

On behalf of the Planters' Associations, I have the honor to congratulate the Government of His Highness the Maharaja on the continued prosperity of this State and upon the sustained progress in all departments of administration tending to promote the prosperity, happiness and contentment of its people and the development of its many resources.

I desire to congratulate His Highness the Maharaja for his statesmanship and liberality in granting this Representative Assembly the honor of electing two of its members to seats on the Legislative Council of the State and to thank His Highness the Maharaja for this manifestation of his sympathy and wise forethought proving as it does in such a practical way his entire confidence in this Assembly, a confidence that I am convinced will be appreciated; and the elementary fact so often forgotten that citizenship has its duties and responsibilities as well as its loudly claimed rights will not be lost sight of. I also desire to express the thanks of the Planters' Association to the Government of Mysore for the Civil Veterinary Department and for the liberal way in which they have met the representations made to them regarding the reduction of the stamp duty from four to one anna on indentures under the value of Rupees 20 and for the kind consideration always given to matters affecting their interests and welfare.

I remain, etc.,

W. L. Crawford.

III.

To

V. P. MADHAVA RAO, Esq., C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore.

ESTEEMED SIR,

Although we have enjoyed the privilege of representation on this august body for eight years and although each successive year our Association delegate has had the honour of being present to convey our respectful salutations to the institution in session assembled, we regard it as a matter of supreme satisfaction that our community have hitherto had no grievances to redress or concessions to seek.

The time appears to have come, however, when we feel that you will welcome a proposal for a small water-supply scheme for Whitefield, the principal of the three grants of land made by His Highness the Maharaja's Government thirty years ago for the colonisation of the members of our Association. We do not ask for a project merely to serve this settlement, but such a scheme as will also benefit our neighbours who inhabit the adjacent villages. We suffer in common with them during each succeeding hot season from the drying up of wells, so sadly indeed sometimes that water for man and beast is extremely difficult to obtain. Year after year, through the generosity of His Highness' Government, funds are granted for the cleaning and deepening of these wells, but, as must be obvious, this is only temporising with the situation and a process of false economy in the long run, considering the facility which exists, practically on the spot, for a water-system by extending one of the channels of the Hoskote lake which runs close by the Whitefield Railway Station. We have had the privilege of informally discussing the feasibility of this matter with Mr. Kumaraswami Naik, the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, and, to judge by the sympathetic manner in which he was pleased to regard the suggestion, we venture to hope that it will become an accomplished fact. We beg that you will also look upon it as worthy of investigation by ordering an early survey and such other action as may seem called for. A perennial water-supply of the character mentioned will be an inestimable boon to a large population of agriculturists and horticulturists in and for a considerable area around the village site of Whitefield, and we would commend it to your deepest consideration.

In making this want known we rely confidently not only on the universal goodness of the Government towards its peoples, but also to a great extent on that outstanding virtue of your own self, namely, uniformly fair treatment of all classes of His Highness' subjects. It is, in conclusion, our sincere hope that you will still be at the helm of the State, piloting its affairs along smooth and unruffled waters and ever advancing its prosperity, for long after Whitefield has been granted the only boon it has ever sought on a general scale of this kind.

We beg to remain,
Esteemed Sir,
Your most obedient servants,
THE MEMBERS OF THE E. AND A.-I.
ASSOCIATION OF MYSORE
AND COORG, LTD.

IV.

ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ದಿವಾನರವೆರಾದ ಮಹಾರಾಜಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ಪಿ. ಮಾಧವರಾವ್, ಸಿ. ಐ. ಇ.,
ಯವರ ಸನ್ನಿಧಾನಂಗಳಲ್ಲಿ.

ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ರುಜು ಮಾಡುವ ರಿಪ್ರಜಂಟೆಟಿವ್ ಮೆಂಬರುಗಳಾದ ನಾವುಗಳು ವಿನಯಪೂರ್ವಕವಾಗಿ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪನೆ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವದೇನಂದರೆ—

ತಾವು ನಮ್ಮ ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನಕ್ಕೆ ದಿವಾನರವೆರಾಗಿ ದಯಮಾಡಿಸಿದ ಲಾಗಾಯತು ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಅನೇಕವಾದ ಸೌಲಭ್ಯಗಳು ಉಂಟಾಗಿರುತ್ತವೆ.

1. ಬಹುಕಾಲದಿಂದಲೂ, ನಮ್ಮ ಏಳಿಗೆಗೆ ಮುಖ್ಯವಾದ ವಿದ್ಯಾಭ್ಯಾಸದ ಸ್ಕೂಲುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಮತಸಂಬಂಧವಾದ ಶಾಸ್ತ್ರಗಳನ್ನು ಹೇಳದೆ ಇದ್ದದ್ದರಿಂದ ಮಕ್ಕಳು ತಮ್ಮ ತಮ್ಮ ಮತಾಚಾರವನ್ನು ಮರೆತು ದೇವ, ಗುರು, ರಾಜ, ಮಾತಾ, ಪಿತೃಗಳ ಭಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಅವಲಂಬಿಸದೆ ಇರುವದಕ್ಕೆ ಕಾರಣವಾಗಿತ್ತು. ಇನ್ನುಮೇಲೆ ತಮ್ಮ ಏರ್ಪಾಡಿನಿಂದ ಮತಶಾಸ್ತ್ರಗಳ ಬೋಧನೆ ಮೂಲಕ ಪೂರ್ವಾಚಾರಗಳನ್ನು ಅವಲಂಬಿಸುವ್ರದಕ್ಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶವುಂಟಾದ ಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ನಮ್ಮ ಶ್ರೀಮಂ ಮಹಾರಾಜರವರಿಗೂ ಗವರ್ನಮೆಂಟಿಗೂ ಸಹ ವಂದನೆಯನ್ನು ಮಾಡತಕ್ಕವರಾಗಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

2. ಇದಲ್ಲದೆ ಪ್ರೈಮರಿ ಎಜುಕೇಷನ್ನಿಗೆ ಸಂಪೂರ್ಣವಾಗಿ ನಮ್ಮ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲೆಲ್ಲಾ ಫ್ರೀ ಮಾಡಿದ ಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ತುಂಬಾ ಕೃತಜ್ಞರಾಗಿರುತ್ತೇವೆ. ಇದರಂತೆ ಇಂಗ್ಲೀಷ್ ಪ್ರೈಮರಿ ವಿದ್ಯಾಭ್ಯಾಸಕ್ಕೂ ಸೌಲಭ್ಯವನ್ನು ಉಂಟುಮಾಡಿಕೊಡಬೇಕಲ್ಲದೆ ಬಾಲವಿದ್ಯಾಭ್ಯಾಸವನ್ನೂ ನಿರ್ಬಂಧದಿಂದ ಅಂದರೆ ಕಂಪಲ್ಸರಿಯಾಗಿ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಡಬೇಕಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ.

3. ನಮ್ಮ ಇಂಡಿಯಾ ದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲವು ದಿವಸಗಳಿಂದ ಉಂಟಾಗಿರುವ ಸ್ವರಾಜ್ಯ ಗಲಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮುಖ್ಯಮುಖ್ಯವಾದ ಮುಂದಾಳುಗಳು ಅನೇಕವಾದ ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳು ಕಷ್ಟಕ್ಕೆ ಗುರಿಯಾಗಿರುವದು ಸರ್ವತ್ರ ಪ್ರಸಿದ್ಧಿಯಾಗಿರುವದನ್ನು ಕುರಿತು ತಾವು ತಮ್ಮ ಕಾರಕರ್ದ್ಗಿಯಿಂದ ನಮ್ಮ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಂಥಾ ಅಪವಾದಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಕಷ್ಟನಷ್ಟಗಳು ಸಹಾ ನಮ್ಮ ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳ ಗೋಚರಕ್ಕೂ ಬಾರದಂತೆ ತಾವು ಮಾಡಿದ ಪ್ರೆಸ್ ಆಕ್ಟ್ ಸಾಕ್ಷೀ ಭೂತವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಆದರೆ ಕೆಲವು ಕೆಲವರು ಈ ಆಕ್ಟಿನ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ನಾನಾ ತಾತ್ಪರ್ಯಗಳಿಂದ ಮನಸ್ಸಿಗೆ ಭೇದಗಳನ್ನುಂಟುಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಕಾನೂನಿಂದ ರಾಜಭಕ್ತಿ ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಉಂಟಾಗುವದೇ ಹೊರ್ತು ಅನ್ಯಥಾ ಅಲ್ಲ. ಈ ಕಾನೂನಿನಿಂದ ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳ ಕಷ್ಟನಷ್ಟಗಳನ್ನು ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಜುಲುಂ ಜಬರ್‌ದಸ್ತಿಗಳು ಗವರ್ನಮೆಂಟಿಗೆ ಜಾಹಿರ್ಮಾಡುವದಕ್ಕೆ ಯಾವ ಅಭ್ಯಂತರವೂ ಉಂಟುಮಾಡಿದಂತೆ ಇಲ್ಲ. ಈ ವಿಚಾರ ಕ್ರಮೇಣ ಜನಗಳ ಮನಸ್ಸಿಗೆ ಸಮಾಧಾನವನ್ನು ಉಂಟುಮಾಡೀತೆಂದು ನಂಬುತ್ತೇವೆ.

4. ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಿಟಿ ಇಂಪ್ರೂವ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಡಿಪಾರ್ಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಈಗಿನ ಏರ್ಪಾಡಿನಿಂದ ಖರ್ಚು ಕಮ್ಮಿಯಾಗಿ ಕೆಲಸ ಕಾರ್ಯಗಳು ಕ್ರಮವಾಗಿ ನಡೆಯುತ್ತಾ ಇದ್ದಾಗ್ಯೂ ಈ ಡಿಪಾರ್ಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟನ್ನು ಮ್ಯೂನಿಸಿಪಲ್ ಬೋರ್ಡಿಗೆ ಸೇರಿಸಿಬಿಟ್ಟದ್ದೇ ಆದರೆ ಇನ್ನೂ ಚೆನ್ನಾಗಿಯೂ, ವಿತರಣೆಯಾಗಿಯೂ, ಜನಗಳ ಹಕ್ಕು ಬಾಧ್ಯತೆಗೆ ಲೋಪವಿಲ್ಲದಂತೆಯೂ, ಸಾವಕಾಶವಿಲ್ಲದಂತೆಯೂ ಜರಗಬಹುದಾದಕಾರಣ ಅದರಂತೆ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಡಲು ಬೇಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

5. ಮೈಸೂರು ಷಹರ್ ಆಬಾದಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ ನಮ್ಮ ಶ್ರೀಮಂ ಮಹಾರಾಜರವರು ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿ ದೀಪಗಳನ್ನು ಇಡಿಸಿದ್ದಲ್ಲದೆ ತನ್ಮೂಲಕ ಷಹರಿಗೆ ಅವಿಚ್ಛಿನ್ನವಾಗಿ ನೀರಿನ ಸರಬರಾಯಿ ನಡೆಯುವಂತೆ ಮಾಡಿರುವ ಏರ್ಪಾಡಿನ ಉಪಕಾರವನ್ನು ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳು ಯಾವಾಗ್ಯೂ ಮರೆಯತಕ್ಕದ್ದಾಗಿಲ್ಲ. ಮತ್ತು ಈ ಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಿಟಿಜರ್ಜರವರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ವಂದನೆಯನ್ನು ಸಮರ್ಪಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ.

6. ನಮ್ಮ ದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ನೇಟಿವ್ ವೈದ್ಯಶಾಸ್ತ್ರ ಶಿಥಿಲವಾಗುತ್ತಿದ್ದ ಭಾಗವನ್ನು ಯೋಚಿಸಿ ಆಯುರ್ವೇದಿಕ್ ಕಾಲೇಜನ್ನು ಏರ್ಪಾಡು ಮಾಡಿಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಪೂರ್ಣವಾದ ವಂದನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಅರ್ಪಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ. ಈ ಸಮುದ್ದೇಶದ ಫಲವನ್ನು ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಪಂಗಡದವರೂ ಅನುಭವಿಸುವಂತೆ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ಕೋರುತ್ತೇವೆ.

7. ನಮ್ಮ ಶ್ರೀಮಂ ಮಹಾರಾಜರವರಿಗೂ, ರಾಜಕುಟುಂಬದವರಿಗೂ, ತಮಗೂ ದೇವರು ಆಯುರಾರೋಗ್ಯವನ್ನು ದಯಪಾಲಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದು ಭಗವತ್ಸನ್ನಿಧಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬೇಡತಕ್ಕವರಾಗಿದ್ದೇವೆ ಸ್ವಾಮಿ.

ತಾರೀಖು 8ನೇ ಅಕ್ಟೋಬರ್ 1908.

ಹರ್ಜ ಅಲ್ಲಿಬೇಗ
ಮತ್ತು 62 ಜನ ಇತರರು.

(TRANSLATION.)

To

V. P. MADHAVA RAO, Esq., C.I.E.,

Dewan of Mysore.

Sir,

We, the undersigned Members of the Representative Assembly, respectfully beg to state as follows:—

1. Since you came to the Mysore State as its Dewan, many measures useful to the people have been undertaken. The absence in our Educational Institutions of that religious and moral teaching which is so essential for our advancement, has led our young men to forget the precepts of their religion and has given rise to irreverence and disrespect towards their parents, their teachers and their Sovereign. We are therefore thankful to His Highness the Maharaja and his Government for the steps they have graciously been pleased to take for introducing religious and moral education into our schools and thereby affording facilities to our youths to follow the tenets and traditions of their religions.

2. We are highly grateful to the Government for the abolition of school fees in the primary classes of schools throughout the State and we beg to request that similar facilities may be afforded in respect of English primary education also and that the education of children may be made compulsory.

3. It is well-known that in the agitation about Swaraj which has been going on in India for some time past, several prominent persons have involved themselves in trouble. The Press Regulation in Mysore passed by the Government affords clear proof of the efforts of the Government to make such a state of affairs impossible in our Province and to save the people of the State from such trouble. But some men have misunderstood the objects of this Regulation. It is our belief that it will only foster feelings of loyalty in the people. Further it does not prevent the people from representing grievances caused by the unlawful acts of Government officials. We trust that the proper understanding of this will gradually re-assure the people.

4. Although the expenditure on the establishments of the Trust Board for the Mysore City Improvements has been curtailed and steps have been taken for the efficient work of the Board, yet we pray that on considerations of greater efficiency and quicker despatch of business it may be amalgamated with the Municipal Board. This arrangement will tend to safeguard the rights of the people.

5. The citizens of the Mysore City can never forget the kindness of His Highness the Maharaja in having given electric lighting to the City and provided an abundant supply of water. On behalf of the citizens we beg to express our thanks for this measure.

6. The indigenous system of medicine was fast dying out. We are therefore highly grateful to the Government for having established an Ayurvedic College. We pray that its benefits may be extended to all the communities in the State.

7. We pray that the Almighty God may be pleased to bless you and also His Highness the Maharaja and all the members of the Royal Family with long life and prosperity.

We remain, etc.,

Hassan Ali Beg

and 62 others.

V.

ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ದಿವಾನರವರಾದ ವಿ. ಪಿ. ಮಾಧವರಾವ್, ಸಿ. ಐ. ಇ., ಯವರ ಸನ್ನಿಧಾನದಲ್ಲಿ.

ಸ್ವಾಮಿ,

ನ್ಯಾಯ ವಿಧಾಯಕ ಸಭೆಗೆ ಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿ ಸಭೆಯವರಿಂದ ಚುನಾಯಿಸಲ್ಪಡುವ ಇಬ್ಬರು ಮೆಂಬರುಗಳನ್ನು ಸೇರಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವಂತೆ ನಮ್ಮ ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರ ವರ್ಧಂತೀ ಮಹೋತ್ಸವದ ದಿವಸ ಎಕ್‌ಸ್ಟ್ರಾರ್ಡಿನರಿ ಗೆಜೆಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಅಪ್ಪಣೆ ಕೊಡಿಸಿದ್ದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ನಮ್ಮ ಶ್ರೀಮಂ ಮಹಾರಾಜರವರಿಗೂ ಮಹಾರಾಜಾ ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೂ ವಂದನೆಯನ್ನು ಒಪ್ಪಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ದೊಡ್ಡ ಆಳಿದ ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರು ಕಾಲಾಧೀನವಾದ 1868ನೆ ಇಸವಿ ಲಾಗಾಯಿತು ಕ್ಷೀಣದೆಸೆಗೆ ಬಂದು ನಾಮಾವಶೇಷವಾಗಿರುವ ಆಯುರ್ವೇದವೈದ್ಯವಿದ್ಯೆಯ ಜೀರ್ಣೋದ್ಧಾರಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಈಗ ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರ ರಾಜ್ಯಭಾರಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಆಯುರ್ವೇದ ಪಾಠಶಾಲೆಯನ್ನು ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸುವಂತೆ ಅಪ್ಪಣೆ ದಯಪಾಲಿಸಿದ್ದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರಿಗೂ ಮಹಾರಾಜಾ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರಿಗೂ ಭಕ್ತಿಪೂರ್ವಕವಾದ ವಂದನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಒಪ್ಪಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಸ್ಕೂಲುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಓದತಕ್ಕ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಅವರವರ ಮತಸಂಬಂಧವಾದ ವಿದ್ಯೋಪದೇಶ ಮತ್ತು ನೀತಿಬೋಧನೆ ಈ ಪಾಠಗಳನ್ನು ಇಡುವಂತೆ ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರು ಅಪ್ಪಣೆ ದಯಪಾಲಿಸಿ ಈ ಅನ್ಯಾದೃಶವಾದ ಉಪಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರಿಗೂ ಮಹಾರಾಜಾ ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೂ ಭಕ್ತಿಪೂರ್ವಕವಾದ ಅನೇಕ ವಂದನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಒಪ್ಪಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ನಮ್ಮ ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರು ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳೆಲ್ಲಾ ವಿದ್ಯಾವಂತರಾಗಬೇಕೆಂಬ ಅಭಿಲಾಷೆಯಿಂದ ಈ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ಹೋಬಳಿ ಸ್ಕೂಲುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಓದತಕ್ಕ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಗೆಲ್ಲಾ ಸ್ಕೂಲು ಫೀ ಮೊಫ್ ಮಾಡಿ ಪಾಠಹೇಳತಕ್ಕ ಉಪಾಧ್ಯಾಯರಿಗೆಲ್ಲಾ ಹತ್ತು ರೂಪಾಯಿಗೆ ಕಮ್ಮಿ ಇಲ್ಲದ ಸಂಬಳವನ್ನು ಗೊತ್ತುಮಾಡಿದ್ದರಿಂದ ಪ್ರಜಾಸಾಮಾನ್ಯದ ವಿದ್ಯಾಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಗೆ ಅನುಕೂಲ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರಿಗೂ ಮಹಾರಾಜಾ ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೂ ಭಕ್ತಿಪೂರ್ವಕವಾದ ಅನೇಕ ವಂದನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಒಪ್ಪಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಈ ವಿಧವಾದ ವಾತ್ಸಲ್ಯದಿಂದ ಈ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕಾಪಾಡುವ ನಮ್ಮ ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರಿಗೆ ಪರಮೇಶ್ವರನು ದೀರ್ಘಾಯುರಾರೋಗ್ಯವನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟು ಕಾಪಾಡಲೆಂತ ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಸೇರಿರುವ ಸಭಿಕರೆಲ್ಲರೂ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ.

ಅಂಬಳ ಅಂಜೈಯ್ಯ ಪಂಡಿತರು.

(TRANSLATION.)

To

V. P. MADHAVA RAO, Esq., C.I.E.,

Dewan of Mysore.

YOUR EXCELLENCY,

I beg to express thanks to His Highness the Maharaja and his Government for having, by the publication of an Extraordinary Gazette on the occasion of His Highness the Maharaja's birthday, allowed two members to be elected to the Legislative Council from the Representative Assembly.

I offer my most loyal gratitude to His Highness the Maharaja and his Government for having graciously ordered the establishment of a school for teaching the Ayurvedic system of medicine which has been declining ever since the demise of the late Maharaja Sri Krishnaraj Wadeyar Bahadur, III, in 1868 and exists now only in name.

I offer my most sincere thanks to His Highness the Maharaja and his Government for the great boon he has graciously conferred upon us by ordering that religious and moral instruction should be given to all boys in schools.

I most cordially thank His Highness and his Government for having greatly helped the education of the masses by making primary education free and by raising the minimum pay of schoolmasters to Rs. 10 per month.

All the members of this Assembly sincerely pray that the Almighty God may bless our Sovereign who protects his subjects with such great solicitude with long life, health and prosperity.

I remain, etc.,

AMBLE ANNIAH PANDIT.

VI.

ಶ್ರೀ ಮಹೀಶೂರ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಮಾತ್ಯವರ ತೇಜಃಪುಂಜ ಘನವನ್ನೆಳೆದ
ವಿ. ಪಿ. ಮಾಧವರಾವ್, ಸಿ. ಐ. ಇ., ಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರ ದಿವ್ಯಸನ್ನಿಧಾನದಲ್ಲಿ.

ಹರಿಹರ ಸಬ್ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಪುರನಿವಾಸಿಗಳು ಭಕ್ತಿ ಪುರಸ್ಸರವಾಗಿ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪಿಸುವುದೇನಂದರೆ : —

ಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರು ಈ ಉನ್ನತಪದವಿಗೆ ದಯಮಾಡಿಸಿದ ಈಚೆಗೆ ಅಂದರೆ ಅತ್ಯಲ್ಪಕಾಲದೊಳೇರ್ಪಟ್ಟ ಅನೇಕ ಸದುಪಾಯ ರಾಜಕೀಯ ಭಾಗಂಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಶ್ರೀಮನ್ಮಹಾರಾಜರವರ ಇಷ್ಟಾನುಸಾರ ಚಾತುರ್ಯದಿಂದ ನಿರ್ವಹಿಸಿರುವ ಅನೇಕ ರಾಜಕಾರ್ಯಂಗಳು ಅಸದೃಶಬುದ್ಧಿಯ ಸ್ಥಾನವೆಂಬುದನ್ನು ಅತ್ಯಂತ ಉತ್ಸಾಹದೊಡನೆ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪಿಸುವಂತೆ ಉತ್ತೇಜನವನ್ನುಂಟುಮಾಡುತ್ತವೆ.

ವಿದ್ಯಾಭ್ಯಾಸದ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸ್ಕೂಲು ಮಾಸ್ಟರುಗಳಿಗೆ ಬಡ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಿಸಿರುವುದಕ್ಕೂ ಪ್ರೈಮರಿ ಸ್ಕೂಲುಗಳಿಗೆ ಫೀಜು ವಜಾ ಮಾಡಿರುವುದಕ್ಕೂ ಪ್ರಜಾಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿಸಭೆಯಿಂದ ಲೆಜಿಸ್ಲೇಟಿವ್ ಕೌನ್ಸಿಲ್‌ಗೆ ಇಬ್ಬರು ಮೆಂಬರುಗಳನ್ನು ಚುನಾವಣೆ ಮೂಲಕ ಬರಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವುದಕ್ಕೂ ಹಿಂದೂ ವೈದ್ಯಕಾಲೇಜನ್ನು ಮೈಸೂರಲ್ಲಿ ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಿ ದೇಶೀಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕ್ಕೂ ಮತಸಂಬಂಧ ನೀತಿ ಭಕ್ತಿಮಾರ್ಗಕ್ಕೂ ಪ್ರೋತ್ಸಾಹ ಕಲ್ಪಿಸಿರುವುದಲ್ಲದೆ ಹೆಣ್ಣು ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಕಿಂಡರ್‌ಗಾರ್ಟನ್ ಮತ್ತು ಗಂಡುಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಸ್ಲಾಯ್ಡ್ ಇನ್‌ಸ್ಟ್ರಕ್ಷನ್ ಮುಂತಾದ ಅನೇಕವಿಧವಾದ ಪ್ರಜೋಪಕಾರಗಳನ್ನು ಕಲ್ಪಿಸಿರುವುದು ಈ ಮುಂತಾದ ಪರಮಸಹಾಯಕ್ಕೂ ಮತ್ತು ಈ ದಿವಸದ ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರ ಘನವಾದ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸದಿಂದ ಪ್ರಕಾಶಪಡಿಸಿರುವ ವಿಷಯಗಳಿಗೂ ತುಂಬ ಕೃತಜ್ಞತೆಯುಳ್ಳವರಾಗಿ ಇದ್ದೇವೆ.

ನದಿಯಿಂದ ನಲ್ಲಿ ಮೂಲಕ ನೀರಿನ ಸರಬರಾಯಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ ಗೌರ್ನಮೆಂಟಿನವರು ಸ್ಕೀಮ್ ಮಾಡಿಸಿದ ಕೆಲಸವು ಕಾರ್ಯತಃ ಪೂರೈಸಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಓಪನಿಂಗ್ ಸೆರಿಮನಿಗೆ ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರ ಖಾಸಾ ಸವಾರಿಯು ದಯಮಾಡಿಸಿ ಶಾಶ್ವತಗೊಳಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದು ಓಟ್ಸ್ ಮೆಂಬರುಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಇತರ ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳು ವಿಶ್ವಾಸದೊಡನೆ ಬಿನ್ನೈಸಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ಅಂಶವನ್ನು ದಿವ್ಯಸನ್ನಿಧಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಶ್ರುತಪಡಿಸಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದೇನೆ.

ದೇವರ ಬೆಳಕೆರೆ ಬಳಿ ಶ್ಯಾಫಲಿ ಹಳ್ಳಕ್ಕೆ ಅಡ್ಡಲಾಗಿ ಬಂದು ಕೆರೆಯನ್ನು ಕಟ್ಟುವ ಕಾಂಗಾರಿಯನ್ನು ಆರಂಭಿಸುವುದಕ್ಕೆ 2½ ಲಕ್ಷ ರೂಪಾಯಿ ಅಂದಾಜಾ ಆಗಿ ಕ್ಷಾಮದ ಪ್ರಾಜೆಕ್ಟಿನಿಂದ ಆರ್ಡಿನೆರಿ ವರ್ಕಾಗಿ ಬದಲಾಯಿಸಿರುವ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಗೌರ್ನಮೆಂಟಿನವರಿಗೆ ವಂದನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಸಮರ್ಪಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ. ಆದರೆ ಇದನ್ನು ಅರ್ಜಂಟ್ ವರ್ಕಾಗಿ ಬದಲಾಯಿಸಿ ನಾಲ್ಕು ಐದು ಸಂವತ್ಸರಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಮುಗಿಯುವಂತೆ ಈ ಸಾಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲವು ಮೊಬಲಗನ್ನು ಸ್ಕೀಮ್ ಮಾಡಿಸಿ ಅಮಾನಿಯಿಂದ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಸಿ ಬಡಜನಗಳ ಜೀವನವನ್ನು ಕಲ್ಪಿಸುವುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಮೊರುಸಾವಿರ ಎಕರೆ ತರಿ ಆಗುವುದರಿಂದ ಅದಾಯಕರವಾದ್ದಾಗಿದೆ.

ನಲ್ಲಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ ಹಾಲಿ ಸ್ಕೀಮ್ ಆಗಿರುವ ಮೊಬಲಗು ವಿನಿಯೋಗವಾಗಿರುವುದರಲ್ಲಿ ಹೊಸಪೇಟೆ, ಕುರುಬಗೇರಿ, ನಡುವಿನಪೇಟೆ ಮುಂತಾದ ಅರ್ಧ ಟರ್ವಗೆ ಜನಬಾಹುಳ್ಯವಿರುವ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳಿಗೆ ನಲ್ಲಿಗಳು ಇಲ್ಲದೆ ಇರುವುದರಿಂದ ಇದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಇನ್ನೆರಡು ಮೂರುಸಾವಿರ ರೂಪಾಯಿ ರಿವೈಜ್ ಮಾಡಿಸಿ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳಿಗೂ ನೀರಿನ ಸೌಲಭ್ಯವನ್ನು ಕಲ್ಪಿಸಿಕೊಡೋಣಾಗಬೇಕು.

ಹರಿಹರದಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ವರ್ಷ ಡಿಪ್ಯೂಟಿ ಕಮಿಷನರ್ ಸಾಹೇಬರವರ ಪ್ರೋತ್ಸಾಹದಿಂದ ನೇಯಿಗೆ ಮುಂತಾದ ಕೈಕಸಬಿನವರಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಶ್ರೀ ಹರಿಹರೇಶ್ವರಸ್ವಾಮಿ ಅನ್ಯೋನ್ಯ ಸಹಾಯಕ ಸಂಘಕ್ಕೆ ಗೌರ್ನಮೆಂಟಿನಿಂದ ಸಹಾಯದ್ರವ್ಯವನ್ನು ಕೊಡಿಸಿಕೊಡಬೇಕು. ಈ ವಿಷಯಗಳನ್ನು ಮಹಾಸನ್ನಿಧಾನಕ್ಕೆ ಶ್ರುತಪಡಿಸಿ ಫಲಿತಾಂಶವನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಯಲು ನನ್ನನ್ನು ಚುನಾಯಿಸಿರುವ ಮೆಂಬರುಗಳು ಕುತೂಹಲಪಟ್ಟಿರುವುದನ್ನು ಬಿನ್ನೈಸಿಕೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಸ್ಥಳಮಾಹಾತ್ಮ್ಯದಿಂದಲೂ ಈ ಚಿತ್ರದುರ್ಗ ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟಿನ ಕೆಲವು ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕುಗಳಿಗಿಂತ ಹೆಚ್ಚಾದ ಸುವರ್ಣಾದಾಯವು ಇರುವುದರಿಂದಲೂ ಸಬ್ ಟ್ರೆಜರಿಯನ್ನು ದಯಪಾಲಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದು ಗತವರ್ಷದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡ ಅಂಶವನ್ನು ಪುನಃ ಅರಿಕೆಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದೇನೆ.

ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರ ಆಳ್ವಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಜನಗಳು ಆನಂದತುಂದಿಲಹೃದಯರಾಗಿರುತ್ತಾ ಇದನ್ನು ನಿಶ್ಚಲವಾಗಿ ದೀರ್ಘಕಾಲ ನಮಗೆ ಶಾಶ್ವತವಾಗಿ ನಡೆಸಲಿಕ್ಕೂ ಶ್ರೀ ಹರಿಹರೇಶ್ವರನು ಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರಿಗೆ ದೀರ್ಘಾಯುಷ್ಯವನ್ನೂ, ಆರೋಗ್ಯಭಾಗ್ಯವನ್ನೂ, ಉನ್ನತಶಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನೂ ಕೊಟ್ಟು ಅನವರತ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಿಸಲೆಂದು ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಶ್ರೀನಿವಾಸ ಸೀತಾರಾಮ ಕುಲಕರ್ಣಿ
ಹರಿಹರ ಸಬ್ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು
ಪ್ರಜಾಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿ ಮೆಂಬರು.

(TRANSLATION.)

To His Excellency,

V. P. MADHAVA RAO, Esq., C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore.

Your Excellency,

The inhabitants of the town and Sub-Taluk of Harihar most respectfully beg to state as follows:—

The many reforms that have been introduced and the many administrative acts that have been skilfully carried out by you according to the wishes of His Highness the Maharaja during the short time that has elapsed since your coming to the exalted position of the Dewan of Mysore testify to your unparalleled ability and intelligence.

We are extremely grateful to you for having increased the pay of schoolmasters, for having made primary education free, for having granted to the Representative Assembly the privilege of electing two members to the Legislative Council, for having encouraged the indigenous system of medicine by establishing at Mysore a Hindu Ayurvedic College, for having ordered that religious and moral education should be imparted in schools, for having arranged for Kindergarten and Sloyd systems of instruction to boys and girls and for the many other beneficial measures referred to in your Excellency's Address.

Now that the work, sanctioned by Government, of supplying river water to this town by means of pipes is practically completed, I humbly beg to request on behalf of the people whom I represent that you may be graciously pleased to favour our town with your presence and perform the opening ceremony.

We beg to tender our thanks to the Government for having kindly transferred the project of constructing a tank across Syagala Halla near Devarabelekere at an estimated cost of 2½ lakhs from the list of famine works to that of ordinary works. We would, however, venture to suggest that if this work be treated as an urgent one and taken on hand and some allotment made for it in this year's budget, it could be completed in 4 or 5 years and would be not only a means of livelihood to poor people but will also be remunerative to Government as this project will bring 3,000 acres of dry land under wet cultivation.

The amount sanctioned for the supply of water to this town has been quite inadequate for providing with fountains certain thickly populated portions of the town, such as Hosapet, Kurubakeri and Nadupetta. We therefore pray that a further sum of rupees two or three thousand may be kindly sanctioned to supply drinking water to all the people.

I humbly request the Government to kindly sanction a grant to the Sri Harihareswaraswami Co-operative Society started at Harihar during the year through the kindness of the Deputy Commissioner for encouraging weaving and other industries. The persons who have elected me as a member of this honorable Assembly have requested me to lay these representations before your excellency and are very anxious to know the result thereof.

I have again to repeat the representation made last year that a Sub-Treasury may be opened in this town considering the religious importance of the place and the fact that the revenue of the sub-taluk is greater than that of other taluks in the Chitaldrug District.

In conclusion, I beg to convey to you the fact that the people are quite happy and contented under the rule of His Highness the Maharaja and pray to God Sri Harihareswaraswami to bestow upon His Highness long life, sound health and energy to conduct the administration of the State for a long time.

I remain, etc.,
Srinivas Sitaram Kulkarni.

VII.

To

V. P. MADHAVA RAO, Esq., C.I.E.,

Dewan of Mysore.

Sir,

I am instructed by my own Association the Anjuman-e-Islamiah, Chikmagalur, as well as by the Central Mahomedan Association, Bangalore, the Anjuman-e-Mufidal Islam, Chitaldrug, and the Anjuman-e-Rifahul-Muslamin, Mysore, to congratulate you upon another year of successful administration and to thank the Government for having improved the lot of village school masters and rendered primary education free. We hope that the Government will find their way to introduce compulsory education into the State. The adoption of some such step is absolutely necessary for the advancement of not only our own community but also of other backward classes.

2. We heartily welcome the recent resolution of the Government introducing religious instruction into Government Schools. We are sure that this measure will go a great way towards popularising English education in our community.

3. We beg to bring to the kind notice of the Government that our representation on the Municipal Councils is not adequate. Our population is chiefly in urban areas. But our representation on the Municipal Councils bears no proportion whatsoever to our numbers; for example, there is only one Mahomedan in the Bangalore City Municipal Council out of a total of twenty two.

We pray that the Government may be pleased to give a larger representation on the councils with due regard to our population and that in doing so they may be pleased to consult the local Anjumans so that the services of really efficient and influential men may be secured for the councils.

4. We take this opportunity to thank you for the sympathetic circular issued by the Government regarding the employment of Mahomedans in minor appointments. We have no doubt that the long-cherished desire of the community to see itself represented in the higher grades of the service will receive the same sympathetic consideration at your hands.

5. In conclusion I beg of you, sir, on behalf of my community to convey to His Highness the Maharaja our sentiments of deep loyalty and attachment to his throne and our gratitude for the many blessings he has conferred upon the country in general and upon our community in particular.

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Your most humble and loyal servant,

Dated 5th October 1908.
Camp, Mysore.

C. Rasul Khan,
Representative Assembly Delegate,
Anjuman-e Islamiah, Chikmagalur.

VIII.

DEWAN'S REPLY TO THE ADDRESSES.

GENTLEMEN,

I thank you most sincerely for the addresses which you have just read and for the appreciation you have expressed about the various measures recently undertaken by the Government to advance the well-being of the people, and it will give me great pleasure to submit to His Highness the Maharaja your sentiments of gratitude for these measures. As regards the various representations made and wishes expressed in your addresses, at present I need only say that such of them as have not already been anticipated by Government will receive their early consideration.

In conclusion, I would assure you that it has been and it will always be the endeavour of His Highness the Maharaja and his Government to do all that lies in their power to advance the prosperity and happiness of His Highness' subjects.

IX

ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ಶ್ರೀಮನ್ಮಹಾರಾಜಾ ಸಾಹೇಬ್ಬಹದ್ದೂರ್‌ರವರ ದಿವಾಣರಾವ
ಮಿಸ್ಟರ್ ಮಾಧವರಾವ್, ಸಿ. ಐ. ಇ., ಯವರ
ಮಹಾಸನ್ನಿಧಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪನೆ.

ಈ ವೆರುಷದ ಪ್ರಜಾಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಖಾವೆಂದರು ಪ್ರಜಾಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿಗಳ ಅಹವಾಲ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ಶಾಂತಚಿತ್ತ ರಾಗಿ ಉದಾರಮಾರ್ಗದಿಂದ ನ್ಯಾಯವೂ ಬಹುಮತವೂ ತೋರಿಬರುವವರೆಗೂ ಲಾಲಿಸಿ ಇತ್ಯರ್ಥಪಡಿಸಿದ್ದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ನಾವುಗಳು ಕೇವಲ ಕೃತಜ್ಞರಾಗಿರುತ್ತೇವೆ.

ಈಚೆಗೆ ಜಾರಿಗೆ ಬಂದ ಪ್ರೆಸ್ ಲಾ (Press Law) ವಿಷಯಗಳನ್ನು ಅನ್ಯಥಾ ಅರ್ಥ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವೆದರ ಮೂಲಕ ಘಾಬರಿಗೊಂಡಿದ್ದ ಸಭಿಕರ ಮನಸ್ಸನ್ನು ಖಾವೆಂದರು ಅರಿತು ಸಭೆಯ ಎರಡನೆಯ ದಿನ ಎರಡು ಘಂಟೆ, ಸಭೆಯ ಮೂರನೆ ದಿನ ಮೂರು ಘಂಟೆಗಳಕಾಲ ಚರ್ಚೆಯ ನಂತರ ಸುದೀರ್ಘ ನಿವೃತ್ತಿಯಾದ್ದರಮೇಲೆ ಸ್ವದೇಶಭಾಗ್ಯಕ್ಕೊಸ್ಕರವೇ ಈ ಪ್ರೆಸ್ ಕಾನೂನು ಏರ್ಪಟ್ಟಿರುತ್ತೆಂಬ ವಿಷಯ ತಿಳುವಳಿಕೆಗೆ ಬಂದು ಆ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೇವಲ ಸಂತೋಷವುಳ್ಳವರಾಗಿದ್ದೇವೆ, ಸ್ವಾಮಿ.

ನಮ್ಮ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ತರೀಸಾಗುವಳಿಗೆ ಮೊತ್ತಪ್ರಾಯವಾದ ತಲಾವ್ರಗಳ ಜೀರ್ಣೋದ್ಧಾರವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಖಾವೆಂದರು ಏರ್ಪಡಿಸಿರುವ "ಪಂಚಾಯಿತಿ" ಪದ್ಧತಿಗೆ ನಾವುಗಳು ಸಂತೋಷಪಟ್ಟು ಈ ಉಪಕಾರಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ನಮ್ಮ ಘನವಾದ ಸರ್ಕಾರವನ್ನು ವಂದಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ.

ಚೆಂಗಳೂರಿನಲ್ಲಿ ದುರ್ವೃತ್ತರಾದ ಕೆಲವು ಬಾಲಕರು ಘಾತಕ ಕೃತ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರವರ್ತಿಸಿ ತನ್ಮೂಲಕ ಆದ ಪ್ರಜೋಪಹತಿಗಾಗಿ ಕನಿಕರಪಟ್ಟು, ಇಂಥಾ ದುಷ್ಕೃತ್ಯಗಳು ಇತಃಪರ ನಡೆಯದಂತೆಯೂ ಚಿಕ್ಕಂದಿನಿಂದಲೂ ಬಾಲಕರ ಮನಸ್ಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾಪಭೀತಿ ಭೂತದಯಪಶ್ಚಾತ್ತಾಪಗಳು ನೆಲೆಗೊಳ್ಳುವೆದಕ್ಕಾಗಿಯೂ, ಖಾವೆಂದರು ಸ್ಕೂಲ್‌ಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಏರ್ಪಡಿಸಿರುವ ಸನಾತನಧರ್ಮದ ಪ್ರಚಾರಣ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯು ಅತ್ಯಂತ ಸಮರ್ಪಕವಾಗಿದೆ. ಇದರಿಂದ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ವರ್ಧಿಷ್ಣುಪ್ರಜಾಸಮುದಾಯವು (Rising generation) ನೀತಿಪ್ರಚಾರಣಗಳನ್ನು ತಿಳಿದುಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ಅನುಕೂಲವಾಗಿದೆ, ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿ.

ಈ ಸಾರಿ ನಡೆದ ವಾರ್ಷಿಕವಸ್ತುಪ್ರದರ್ಶನಶಾಲಾಮಹೋತ್ಸವದಿಂದ ರಾಜಧಾನಿಗೆ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಭಾಗಗಳಿಂದಲೂ ನವರಾತ್ರಿ ಉತ್ಸವಗಳನ್ನು ನೋಡಲು ಬಂದಿದ್ದ ಜನಗಳಿಗೆ ಅಪಾರವಾದ ಪ್ರಯೋಜನ ಉಂಟಾಗಿದೆಯೆಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಲು ಬಹಳ ಸಂತೋಷಕರವಾಗಿದೆ. ಪ್ರದರ್ಶನಶಾಲೆಗೆ ಮುಖತ್ತಾಗಿ ನೋಡಲು ಬಿಡಲ್ಪಟ್ಟ ಅನೇಕಮಂದಿ ಬಡರೈತರಿಗೂ ಮತ್ತು ಕೈಗಾರಿಕೆಯವರಿಗೂ ಪ್ರತ್ಯಕ್ಷವಾಗಿ ತೋರಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟ ನೂತನವಾದ ಉಳುವ ಕ್ರಮ, ಜಂಖಾನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಹೊಕ್ಕಿಯುವ ಕ್ರಮ, ಇವೇ ಮುಂತಾದ ಅನೇಕ ವಿಷಯಗಳಿಂದ ತುಂಬಾ ಪ್ರಯೋಜನ ಉಂಟಾಗಿದೆ. ಪ್ರದರ್ಶನಶಾಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕೊಡಲ್ಪಟ್ಟ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸಗಳಿಂದ ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳು ವಿಶೇಷವಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಯೋಜನವನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇವ್ರಗಳಿಗೆ ನಾವು ತುಂಬಾ ಕೃತಜ್ಞರಾಗಿದ್ದೇವೆ, ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿ.

ಸಭೆಗೋಸ್ಕರ ಈ ಊರಿಗೆ ಬಂದ ಪ್ರಜಾಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿಗಳನ್ನು ಆದರದಿಂದ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸಿ ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಅವರುಗಳು ಸೌಖ್ಯವಾಗಿರುವೆದಕ್ಕೊಸ್ಕರ ಖಾವೆಂದರು ಮಾಡಿಸಿರುವ ಸಮರ್ಪಕವಾದ ಏರ್ಪಾಡುಗಳಿಗೆಲ್ಲಾ ಬಹಳಕೃತಜ್ಞರಾಗಿದ್ದೇವೆ, ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿ.

ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳಾದ ನಾವ್ರುಗಳು ರಾಜಭಕ್ತಿ ವಿಶ್ವಾಸಗಳಿಂದೊಡಗೂಡಿ ನಮ್ಮದಿಯಿಂದಿದ್ದೇವೆ, ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿ.

ಈ ವಿಧವಾದ ಸಂತೋಷವನ್ನೂ ತೃಪ್ತಿಯನ್ನೂ ನಮ್ಮಲ್ಲಿ ಉಂಟುಮಾಡಿಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ನನ್ನ ಘನವನ್ನೈದಿರುವ ಶ್ರೀಮೆ ಮಹಾರಾಜ ರಾಜಾಸಾಹೇಬ್ಬಹದ್ದೂರ್‌ರವರಿಗೂ ಮತ್ತು ಅವರ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರೆಗೂ ಯಾವಾಗ್ಯೂ ಶ್ರೇಯಃ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಲಿದೇವೆ, ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿ.

H. KRISHNASASTRI,
Representative Member, Mysore Dist. Board,
and others of the Representative Assembly.

ತಾರೀಖು
15-10-08

(TRANSLATION.)

We are extremely thankful to you for the patient and gracious manner in which you have listened to our representations and decided the several questions raised by the members in this year's Assembly, so far as such representations appeared to be reasonable and to command general assent.

You perceived the fact that some members of the Assembly were alarmed about the newly introduced Press law in consequence of certain wrong conceptions about it and you removed all their doubts on the subject after discussing the matter for two hours on the second day and for three hours on the third day of the session.

We have now clearly understood that the law has been passed solely for the good of our country and we are therefore very much pleased that such a law has been passed.

We thank the Government for the introduction of the system of 'Panchayets' in connection with the restoration and maintenance of the tanks which are so essential to wet cultivation in the State.

Moved by compassion for the loss of life caused by the ghastly murders committed by some wicked young men in Bangalore, your Excellency has, with a view to prevent the recurrence of similar heinous crimes and with the object of implanting in the minds of children from their earliest years an abhorrence of evil, repentance for wrong-doing and feelings of benevolence and compassion, introduced the teaching of the Sanatana Dharma in the schools in the State. This measure will serve to lead the rising generation in the ways of righteousness and its introduction has given extreme satisfaction.

It gives us great pleasure to inform you that the people from all parts of the State who came to Mysore to witness the Dasara festivities have derived very great benefit from the Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition held this year. The poor raiyats and artisans who were allowed to witness the exhibition free of charge have greatly profited by the practical demonstration of new methods of ploughing and of the weaving of carpets and by the other features of the exhibition. The people have also benefited by the lectures delivered at the exhibition. We are very grateful for all these measures.

We also beg to express our sincere thanks for the kind reception graciously accorded to the Representatives and for the excellent arrangements made for their comfort here.

We beg to assure you of our loyalty to His Highness the Maharaja and of the fact that we are enjoying the benefits of peace under his benign rule.

We offer our prayers for the welfare of His Highness the Maharaja who has graciously bestowed on us happiness and contentment and for the prosperity of his Government.

H. KRISHNA SASTRI AND OTHERS.

X

ಮೈಸೂರು ಶೀಮೆಯ ಶ್ರೀಮರ್ ಮಹಾರಾಜ ರಾಜಾ ಸಾಹೇಬ್ಬಹದ್ದೂರ್‌ರವರ ದಿವಾರಾದ
ಶ್ರೀಮರ್ ವಿ. ಪಿ. ಮಾಧವರಾಯರವರ ದಿವ್ಯಚರಣಸನ್ನಿಧಾನಂಗಳಿಗೆ.

ಪ್ರಜಾಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿಸಭೆಯ ಫೆಂಬರುಗಳು ಮಾಡುವ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪನೆಗಳು.

ಈ ಮಹಾಸಭೆಯವರಿಂದ ತರಲ್ಪಟ್ಟ ಅನೇಕ ವಿಷಯಗಳಿಗೆ ಬಹಳ ವಿಚಾರದಿಂದಲೂ ವಿತರಣೆಯಿಂದಲೂ-ಸಾವಧಾನದಿಂದಲೂ ಪರ್ಯಾಲೋಚಿಸಿ ಸದುತ್ತರಗಳನ್ನು ದಯಪಾಲಿಸಿರುವದ್ದರಿಂದಲೂ ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳ ಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿಗಳಾದ ನಾವು ಅನಪೇಕ್ಷಿತವಾದ ಅನೇಕ ಬಳ್ಳೀ ಏರ್ಪಾಡುಗಳನ್ನು ನಡೆಸುವಮಾಗಿ ಅಪ್ಪಣೆ ಆದ ತಮ್ಮ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಪ್ಪಣೆಕೊಡಿಸೋಣವಾದ್ದರಿಂದಲೂ ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳಿಗೆ ವಿಶೇಷ ಗೌರವವನ್ನುಂಟುಮಾಡಿದ್ದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳ ಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿಗಳಾದ ನಾವು ಶ್ರೀಮರ್ ಮಹಾರಾಜ ರಾಜಾಸಾಹೇಬ್ಬಹದ್ದೂರ್‌ರವರಿಗೂ ಅವರ ಅಮಾತ್ಯ ಪದವಿಯನ್ನು ಅಲಂಕರಿಸಿರುವ ತಮಗೂ ಸರ್ವೇಚ್ಛೈತನ್ಯ ಸ್ವರೂಪನಾದ ಭಗವಂತನು ಆಯುರಾರೋಗ್ಯಾದಿ ಐಶ್ವರ್ಯಾದಿಗಳನ್ನು ಸದ್ಯಸ್ಸುವೃಷ್ಟಿಯನ್ನಿ ಸಹ ಕೊಟ್ಟು ಕಾಪಾಡಲೆಂದು ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ, ಸ್ವಾಮಿ.

ತಾರೀಖು 15-10-08
ಮೈಸೂರು

ಡಿ. ಎಸ್. ಹನುಮಂತರಾವ್,
ದೇವನಹಳ್ಳಿ,
ಮತ್ತೂ ಇತರರು.

(TRANSLATION.)

To

V. P. MADHAVA RAO, Esq., C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore.

Your Excellency,

We the representatives of the people are grateful to you for the patient hearing accorded to the various representations brought forward by the members, for having allowed us to discuss the subjects at length and for the favorable replies given to us after due consideration. We feel highly gratified by the assurance given in your Excellency's Address that Government intend to introduce many useful reforms. For all this we pray that the Almighty God may endow His Highness the Maharaja, and your Excellency, his minister, with health, long life and prosperity and that at present He may also bless the country with a good shower of rain.

We remain, etc.,
D. S. Hanumantha Rao, and others.

XI.

To

V. P. MADHAVA RAO, Esq., C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore.

Sir,

On behalf of the Representative Assembly, I beg to tender you our heart-felt thanks for the patient hearing you were pleased to give us. We talked a good deal and some words might have fallen from our lips which might have been enough to cause you displeasure. But in spite of this, you were kind enough to hear us fully and to give us complete satisfaction.

The eloquent words in which your Excellency announced the noble and statesmanlike policy which you were determined to pursue, your moral earnestness coupled with your lofty determination, your uncommon intellectual equipment matured by varied experience and personal acquaintance with the people and knowledge of the country, and above all, your cultured and generous love of the country, which seems to pervade your very nature, have all combined to give the people every satisfaction.

It is our good fortune that has secured for us in your Excellency a statesman and administrator who ungrudgingly devotes his full attention to the impartial administration of justice. The misapprehension which was created in our minds on certain points has now been dispelled and your Excellency has captivated our hearts and extorted from the country universal respect and admiration.

In conclusion, I request your Excellency to convey our heart-felt thanks to His Highness the Maharaja for the very kind interest he has been taking in the welfare of his country.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
Dervish Peer Sahib,
Representative Member.

XII.

DEWAN'S REPLY TO THE ADDRESSES.

Gentlemen,

I need not say how highly flattered I feel by the kind words you have spoken regarding the share I have taken in the conduct of the Assembly. I need only say that it will give me the greatest pleasure to convey to His Highness the Maharaja your expressions of gratitude and devotion. I would also express on behalf of His Highness' Government our thanks for the very appreciative terms in which you have spoken of the results of the last year's administration as submitted to you in my Address.